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EDUCATION

Vanderbilt University August 2020 - Present
B.A. in Political Science, Computer Science, GPA: 4.0/4.0 *Nashville*

EXPERIENCE

Product Space @ Vanderbilt, Community Director January 2022 - Present

· Cultivating a strong and meaningful intra-university community, mentorship experience, and network of future product leaders
· Gathering and analyzing feedback from fellows; communicating feedback to team and design strategies to iterate and improve overall operation

X Academy, Program Co-Lead & Head Academic Lead November 2020 - Present

· Setting and monitoring goals of HumanitieX track, delegating tasks, running monthly meetings, and maintaining communication within team
· Recruiting new PhD. mentors and students, designing of class syllabus, and publicizing and marketing of the track

Study.Wiki, Community and Growth Lead December 2021 - Present

· Conducting market research, defining product vision and communicating with the development team to optimize product features
· Developing plans for the cold-start of the product, designing community growth strategies and advertising campaigns, and assigning relevant tasks to team

Cornerstone Global Partners, HR Recruiter Researcher June 2021 - August 2021

· Searched and contacted potential candidate, submitted candidate information and recommendation sheet to client companies, and followed-up with successful candidates with subsequent interviews
· Responsible for updating company's internal talent pool; participated in meetings with client companies' HR

RESEARCH

Research - Social Media, Affective Polarization, and The Police December 2021

· Investigation on the effect of social media on affective polarization in American politics by analyzing national survey response (~500,000 samples) using R

Lab - Campaign Positioning in U.S. House Elections December 2021 - Present
Volunteer Researcher

· Collecting original data on primary candidates' issue positions from archived campaign websites

ACTIVITIES

VUCSSA, Social Chair August 2020 - Present

Monthly social event planning, Chinese culture related activities advocacy

Women's Center Body Project, Intern August 2021

· Trained volunteer to help promote body-acceptance through small group workshops

Student Government, Vice President 2018-2020

· Lead monthly town-hall meetings, set goals and delegated tasks to team, recorded meeting minutes

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages English, Mandarin, Korean(beginner)
Programming Languages Python, R, SQL
Web skills HTML5, CSS, Figma